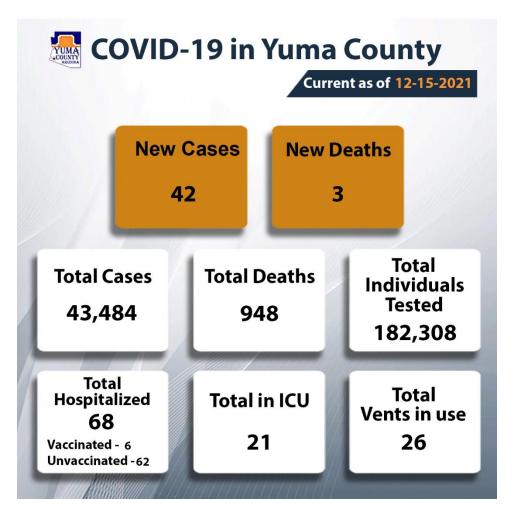


## **Yuma County COVID-19 DAILY UPDATE**

3:00 PM, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2021



Yuma County Health Officials confirm 42 new cases of COVID-19 and \*3 new deaths, bringing the total cases to 43,484 and total deaths to 948. Health officials are conducting contact investigations.

**\*NOTE:** Based on the ADHS/County Vital Records Surveillance Information, death reported occurred as described below:

- 11/30/2021 (1)
- 12/03/2021 (1)
- 12/06/2021 (1)

Vaccination is the best way to protect yourself, your family, and your community against COVID-19. Vaccines are effective in preventing severe illness, hospitalization, and death; they also help reduce the spread of the virus in our community.

The Health District is providing COVID-19 vaccine clinics Monday through Thursday

from 8:30 am to 11:30 am and 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm December 1- 22, 2021. Onsite vaccine clinics will resume January 4<sup>th</sup> 2022. **You must schedule an appointment**.

**NOTE**: The Yuma County Public Health Services District is now offering the Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine, authorized for children and adolescents ages 5 -11.

The Moderna vaccine currently can be given to anyone age 18 and over. More information can be found on the <u>CDC's website</u>.

The Pfizer vaccine currently can be given to anyone age 5 and over. More information can be found on the <a href="CDC's website">CDC's website</a>

For more information about what you will need to bring with you to your appointment, please visit the <u>Health District's Immunization Program</u> page or call (928) 317-4550.

Due to overwhelming demand for both initial vaccine and booster appointments, the Yuma County Public Health District **is no longer taking walk-ins** and are asking the public to call (928) 317-4550 to make an appointment.

## **COVID-19 Booster Update:**

Yuma County Public Health Services District is offering COVID-19 Booster Vaccines for anyone eligible. Moderna, Pfizer, and Johnson & Johnson vaccines are available; however, doses of Johnson & Johnson may be limited. Please call ahead for availability at 928-317-4550. **You must schedule an appointment.** 

**NOTE:** BOOSTER APPOINTMENTS are booked until next week. Local pharmacies, primary care physicians and clinics like Sunset Health and Regional Center for Border Health also have vaccines for boosters

Testing is available at many locations in Yuma County, click here for details.

Please visit the <u>Arizona Department of Health Services – Vaccine Finder</u> for the most up-to-date information on where vaccine is currently available. The website is updated frequently.

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